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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

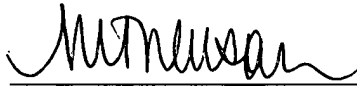
In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 27, 2002, Applicant hereby requests entry of the following election. Applicant further respectfully requests a five month extension of time and submits the appropriate small entity fee herewith. Applicant is a small entity and hereby asserts small entity status.

Election

Applicant elects the species of group (e) relating to methods and compositions using the -B(D₁)(D₂) compounds of claims 7 and 17. This election is made for examination purposes only and it is Applicant's understanding that the claims will be restricted to this species should no generic claim be finally held allowable. Applicant identifies the species of Val-boroPro as an example of the elected species. Applicant further wishes to clarify that at least claims 1, 7, 9-17 and 19-21 read upon the elected species.

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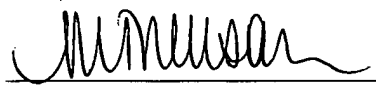
Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- ☒ Response to Restriction Requirement
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$985.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to Deposit Account 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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